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Dear Matthew

## **Draft Patent Application: Patterning Method**

Please find attached a first draft specification for CDT invention No. 334.

You will see from the draft specification that there are various places where we have requested clarification or further information from you. We look forward to receiving your comments in this regard.

The specification has been drafted taking soft lithographic techniques as the closest prior art. These techniques as well as banking techniques are discussed at the beginning of the specification. Please read our discussion and ensure that all technical statements are correct.

At present, we have drafted 17 claims. Claims 1 to 10 are directed to a method for patterning a device layer; claims 12 to 16 are directed to a method for making an electrical, mechanical or electromechanical device; and claim 17 is directed to a device per se. Please ensure that these claims adequately cover all methods and devices of interest to CDT.

Referring to the figures, please note that we do not appear to have a copy of a figure 2 or a figure 6 from Professor Inganas' report. Further, from our review of the section headed "picture captions" in his report, it appeared to us that his reference to some of the figures may be incorrect. Please check in our draft specification that the figure references are correct.

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Best wishes, Yours sincerely

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